

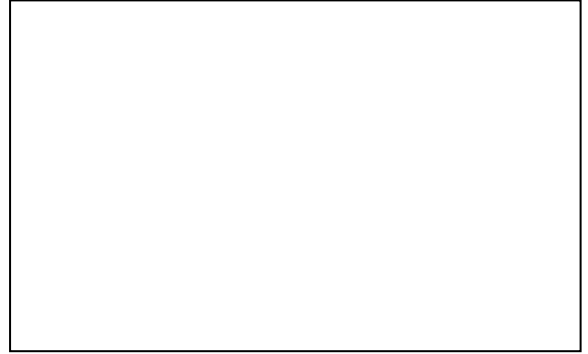
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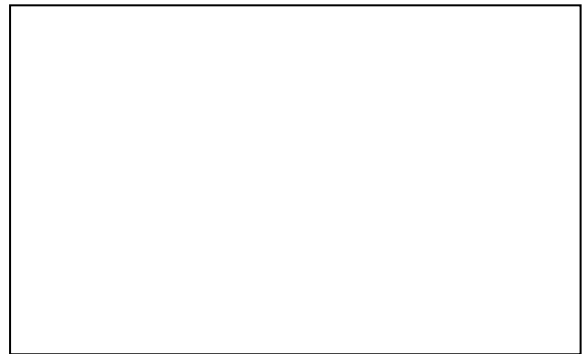
**Before you read**

Before you watch video...

List anything you know about Japanese history. And draw a picture of your image of old Japan.



List anything you know about modern Japan. And draw a picture of your image of modern Japan.



After you watch videos, what was the part it was different from what you knew about old Japan? And draw a picture of Meiji period in Japan.



Japanese History in 5 minutes. Watch video and complete the table below.

Time (Century)	Event	Famous figures	Land marks etc...
3rd century	Military		Powerful Clan Tomb of emperor Nintoku
6-7 century			
Nara Period 8th century			
Heian (794-1185)			
Kamakura			
Muromachi			
Edo (Late 16th)			
Meiji (1852-1912)			
20th century	Russo-Japan War		
Post War period			

About Meiji Jidai: Go to the site: <http://www.artelino.com/articles/meiji-period.asp>

Summarize the following:

Emperor Meiji 1852-1912

The role of emperor Meiji

Meiji Period: The Great Leap Forward

Westernization and Industrialization

The Military during the Meiji Period

Military Victory over China and Russia

Political and Social Reforms

Architecture, Transportation and infrastructure

Economy of the Meiji period

